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Applicant : Osterhout, et al.
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APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

Sir:

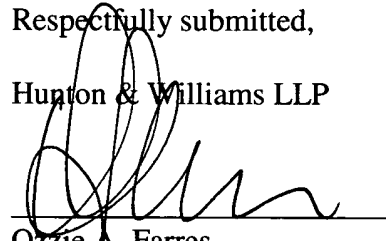
In response to the telephone interview held on September 25, 2006, between Examiner Ryman and Applicant's representative, Ozzie Farres, Applicant submits that Applicant's representative and the Examiner discussed claim 1. However, agreement with respect to the claims was not reached. Applicant's representative stated that he planned to direct future claim amendments to the embodiment seen in Fig. 5 of the Specification. Lastly, the Examiner noted that previous searches did not turn up prior art that was directly on point with this embodiment and further indicated that an additional search may be necessary in light of any amendments to the claims.

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